00684.519507. PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Examiner: Bryan Ready
Hiroshige INOUE	)	
•	:	Group Art Unit: 2884
Application No.: 10/587,146	)	•
	:	Confirmation No.: 4972
Filed: May 31, 2007	)	
•	:	October 18, 2011
For: TONER SUPPLY CONTAINER	)	
AND IMAGE FORMING APPARATUS,		
FOR DETECTING THE AMOUNT OF		
REMAINING TONER		

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

## Petition for Extension of Time

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the final Office Action dated July 11, 2011, for one (1) month from October 11, 2011, to November 11, 2011.

The \$150.00 fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 is being paid electronically.

Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account

No. 06-1205.